



Trojan Exclusions Fund

Marketing Communication

All data as at 31 August 2026
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The investment objective of the Trojan Exclusions Fund is to provide capital growth (net of fees), ahead of inflation (UK Consumer Price Index), over the longer term (5 to 7 years). Its investment policy is to invest across a broad range of asset classes. Whilst asset allocation will vary, in general, the investment universe will comprise high-quality, developed market equities, developed market government bonds, gold-related investments, cash and money market instruments (such as treasury bills). The Fund will invest in accordance with the parameters of its Ethical Exclusion Criteria.

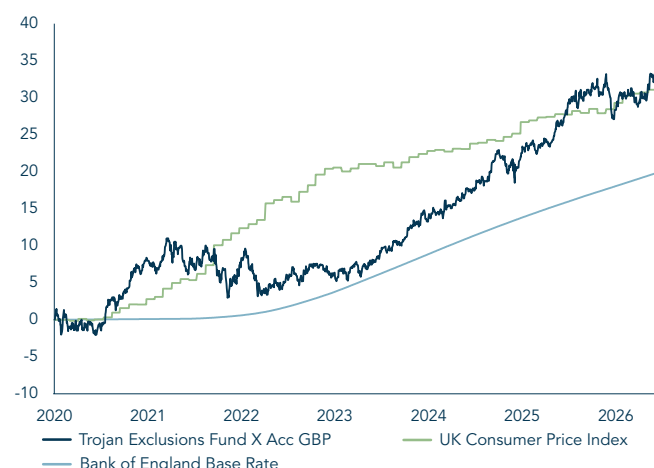
PRICES

1.2176 EUR X Acc	1.1868 EUR X Inc
1.3375 GBP X Acc	1.3056 GBP X Inc
1.3442 USD X Acc	1.3082 USD X Inc

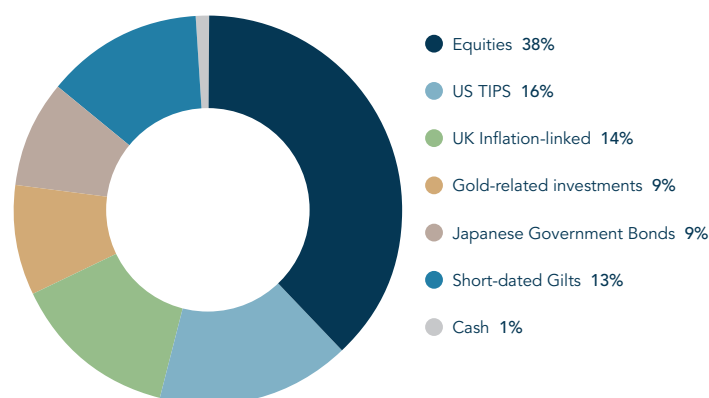
FUND SIZE

£19m

PERCENTAGE GROWTH 07/10/2020 - 31/08/2026



ASSET ALLOCATION



Source: Factset. Asset allocation is subject to change.

Total Return to 31 August 2026	07/10/2020 Since Launch	31/08/21 5 year	31/08/23 3 year	31/08/25 1 year	28/02/26 6 months
Trojan Exclusions Fund X Acc GBP	+33.8%	+23.4%	+24.9%	+6.8%	+1.0%
Trojan Exclusions Fund X Acc USD ¹	+34.4%	+23.9%	+24.7%	+6.7%	+0.9%
Trojan Exclusions Fund X Acc EUR ¹	+21.8%	+13.1%	+18.2%	+4.7%	+0.0%
Bank of England Base Rate	+19.8%	+19.7%	+14.6%	+3.9%	+1.9%
UK Consumer Price Index	+31.1%	+27.5%	+8.8%	+2.6%	+2.0%

Discrete Calendar Annual Returns	2020*	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026 YTD
Trojan Exclusions Fund X Acc GBP	-0.8%	+10.0%	-4.9%	+4.9%	+8.1%	+10.0%	+2.4%
Trojan Exclusions Fund X Acc USD ¹	-0.8%	+10.1%	-4.6%	+5.2%	+8.0%	+9.9%	+2.4%
Trojan Exclusions Fund X Acc EUR ¹	-0.9%	+8.9%	-6.5%	+3.2%	+6.4%	+7.6%	+1.2%

*Since launch, 7 October 2020.

¹ Hedged. Differences in interest rates may contribute to differences in performance between share classes.

Source: Lipper

Past performance is not a guide to future performance.

August Commentary

Your Fund (X Acc GBP) returned +2.0% during the month.

Events in August raised an important question: who sets the price of money? In the US, Treasury Secretary Scott Bessent was trying to ease pressure on long-term government borrowing costs, while Federal Reserve Chair Kevin Warsh used the annual Jackson Hole Symposium to explain how the Fed would respond if inflation stayed too high. Both have influence, but neither has complete control.

Bessent's Treasury announced that it would at least double each buyback of older 10- to 30-year Treasury bonds from \$2bn to \$4bn. Treasuries rallied sharply, but much of the move was quickly reversed. The official aim was to improve liquidity, although the timing was notable as yields approached 20-year highs. Persistent inflation, resilient growth and large fiscal deficits remain difficult forces to wish away. The repurchase amounts are also modest beside a Treasury market measured in trillions, but the precedent may matter more. This is not yet a full [yield curve](#) control (a possibility we have discussed before) but it raises the question of greater intervention ahead.

Jackson Hole offered clarity from a different direction. Warsh had previously given markets little guidance on how he would balance inflation against

growth and employment. His speech was clearer: the Fed's 2% inflation target is 'firm', the labour market remains healthy, and inflation is still too widespread. Warsh stated that inflation must be moving clearly and sufficiently quickly towards target, 'Otherwise, we have work to do'. Markets welcomed the clarity, with expectations of a September interest rate rise increasing.

While Warsh and Bessent both hold some sway, neither can ultimately dictate the return investors will demand to lend for decades. If policymakers increasingly resist higher borrowing costs, the adjustment may instead come through a weaker dollar and greater concern about inflation (an environment that could favour gold). Respecting the market's power is important. We are reminded of US political strategist James Carville who once joked that, if reincarnated, he would return as the bond market: 'You can intimidate everybody'.

We take heed and continue to favour short-dated US and UK index-linked government bonds in the Fund's fixed-income allocation. We value the inflation protection they provide, while limiting the risk that comes with lending to governments for longer durations.

Source: Troy Asset Management Limited, Lipper & Bloomberg.



CURRENCY EXPOSURE (NET)

Currency	
GBP	67%
USD	10%
JPY	9%
Gold-related investments	9%
EUR	3%
CHF	2%

RETURN VS VOLATILITY SINCE LAUNCH (07/10/2020)



Source: Lipper

RISK ANALYSIS

Risk analysis since launch (07/10/20)	Trojan Exclusions Fund X Acc GBP
Total Return	+33.8%
Max Drawdown ¹	-7.2%
Best Month	+3.6%
Worst Month	-3.6%
Positive Months	+68.6%
Annualised Volatility ²	4.6%

¹ Measures the worst investment period

² Measured by standard deviation of annual returns

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TOP 10 HOLDINGS (EXCLUDING GOVERNMENT BONDS)

Royal Mint Physical Gold	4.7%
Visa	4.2%
Invesco Physical Gold	4.1%
Alphabet	3.2%
Experian	3.0%
Hubbell	2.9%
Agilent Technologies	2.9%
L'Oreal	2.5%
Chubb	2.4%
Canadian National	2.2%
Total Top 10	32.2%
10 Other Equity holdings	14.7%
US TIPS	16.2%
UK Inflation-linked	14.1%
Short-dated Gilts	12.6%
Japanese Government Bonds	9.3%
Cash	0.9%
TOTAL	100.0%

Source: Factset. Holdings subject to change.

FUND MANAGER AWARDS



RESPONSIBLE INVESTMENT



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FUND INFORMATION

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Structure Sub-fund of Trojan Funds (Ireland) plc UCITS authorised by the Central Bank of Ireland		Dividend Ex Dates 1 August (interim), 1 February (final)		Dealing Daily at 11am UK Tel: (+353) 1 400 5300	
Investment Manager Troy Asset Management Limited 33 Davies Street London W1K 4BP Tel: 020 7499 4030 Email: busdev@taml.co.uk		Dividend Pay Dates 30 September (interim), 31 March (final)		Bloomberg TROEXGA_ID (X Acc GBP), TROEXGL_ID (X Inc GBP)	
Fund Manager Charlotte Yonge		Dividend Yield (X Inc GBP shares) 0.00%		ISINs IE00BMC49P13 (GBP X Inc), IE00BMC49N98 (GBP X Acc) IE00BMC49T50 (USD X Inc), IE00BMC49S44 (USD X Acc) IE00BMC49M81 (EUR X Inc), IE00BMC49L74 (EUR X Acc) IE00BMC49R37 (SGD X Inc), IE00BMC49Q20 (SGD X Acc)	
Currency £ Sterling, \$ US Dollar*, *Hedged shareclass € Euro*, \$ SGD*		Benchmarks For more information on the benchmarks used please refer to the 'use of benchmarks' section in the fund information sheet, available from our website .		Ongoing Charges (capped) X shares: 1.00%	
Launch Date 7 October 2020		Transfer Agent CACEIS Ireland Limited			
Management Company Universal-Investment Ireland Fund Management Limited		Auditor Grant Thornton			
		Depository The Bank of New York Mellon SA/NV, Dublin branch			

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